

Statistics 2 - P.M.C.C. - Solutions

Section 1

1. $X =$ no. days with "light" wind speed

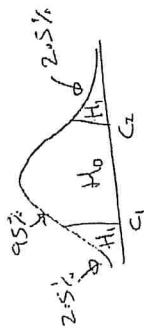
a) $X \sim \text{Bin}(20, 0.9)$

i) $P(X < 16) = P(X \leq 15) = 0.0432$ (4dp)

ii) $P(X > 15) = 1 - P(X \leq 15) = 1 - 0.0432 = 0.9568$ (4dp)

b) i) $H_0: p = 0.9$

$H_1: p \neq 0.9$



$P(X \leq c_1) = 0.025$

$P(X \leq 14) = 0.0112$

$P(X \leq 15) = 0.0431$

c_1 between 14 and 15

$P(X \geq c_2) = 0.025$

$P(X \leq c_2 - 1) = 0.975$

$P(X \leq 19) = 0.8784$

$P(X \leq 20) = 1$

$c_2 - 1$ between 19 and 20
 c_2 between 20 and 21

but $n=20 \Rightarrow$ no H_1 region on the right

i.e. critical region is $x \leq 14$

ii) $x=16 \Rightarrow$ Accept H_0 , reject H_1 i.e. insufficient evidence that Mitchell's calculations are wrong at 5% level.

2. a) $P(S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3) = 0.2 \times 0.3 \times 0.9 = 0.054$

b) $P(S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3^c) + P(S_1 \cap S_2^c \cap S_3) + P(S_1^c \cap S_2 \cap S_3)$
 $= 0.2 \times 0.3 \times 0.9 + 0.2 \times 0.7 \times 0.1 + 0.8 \times 0.3 \times 0.1$
 $= 0.054 + 0.014 + 0.024 = 0.092$

c) $P(S_1 / \text{Stop at 2}) = \frac{P(S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3) + P(S_1 \cap S_2^c \cap S_3)}{P(\text{Stop at 2})}$

$= \frac{0.054 + 0.014}{0.092} = 0.7391$ (4dp)

3.

	A	A'	
B	0.1	0.4	$P(A B') = 0.4$ $\Rightarrow \frac{0.2}{x} = 0.4$ $\Rightarrow x = \frac{0.2}{0.4} = 0.5$
B'	0.2	0.3	
	0.3	0.7	

Alternatively

a) $P(A|B') = \frac{0.3}{0.5} = 0.6$

$P(A|B) + P(A|B') = 1$
 $\Rightarrow P(A|B') = 1 - P(A|B)$
 $= 1 - 0.4$
 $= 0.6$

b) $P(B|A) = \frac{0.1}{0.3} = \frac{1}{3} = 0.33$

4.

a) From calc $r = 0.5089$

b) Trace \Rightarrow "less than 0.05" it looks as though Charles used $x=0.05$, as all other values given to l.d.p.

c) Sensible for interpolation $\Rightarrow 0 \leq x \leq 19$

however $8.13 - 0.49x = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{8.13}{0.49} = x$

$\Rightarrow x \approx 16.6 \Rightarrow 0 \leq x \leq 16.6$

as if $x > 16.6$ $y < 0$ which is not sensible

d) Relationship on graph looks non-linear

e) b negative as graph  not 

f) $y = ax^b \Rightarrow \log_{10} y = b \log_{10} x + \log_{10} a$

Both x and y data contain 0, can not find $\log_{10} x$

S(a), b), c)  Symmetrical data with mode in middle

16. Area under graph represents probabilities

Section 2

i) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p>0$

b)	Size	r	%	Crit	Conclusion
i)	10	0.5	S	0.5494	Accept H_0
ii)	20	0.5	S	0.3783	Accept H_1
iii)	30	0.5	10	0.2407	Accept H_1
iv)	40	0.5	10	0.2070	Accept H_1

Z.	H_1	n	r	%	Crit region	Conclusion
a)	$p < 0$	20	-0.4	S	$r < -0.3783$	Accept H_1
b)	$p \neq 0$	30	0.5	Z	$r > 0.4226$ $r < -0.4226$	Accept H_1
c)	$p \neq 0$	40	-0.3	I	$r > 0.4026$ $r < -0.4026$	Accept H_0

3. a) From calc $t = -0.3454$

b) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p \neq 0$
 $n=10, 10\% \Rightarrow$ crit values = ± 0.5494
 \Rightarrow Accept H_0 , Reject H_1

i.e. Insufficient evidence that there is linear correlation between Daily Mean Pressure and Daily Mean Wind Speed

c) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p>0$
 $r < 0 \Rightarrow$ Accept H_0 i.e. insufficient evidence that there is positive linear correlation between ...

iii) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p < 0$
 $n=10, 10\% \Rightarrow$ crit value = -0.4228
 \Rightarrow Accept H_0 , Reject H_1 i.e. insufficient evidence that there is negative linear correlation between ...

c) knots

d) No, would get same value of r and same conclusions in any unit. Linear scaling does not affect r.

4. $r = -0.4367$

a) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p < 0$
 $n=?$ $S\%$ $\Rightarrow p=0.05$

$n=15 \Rightarrow$ crit value = -0.4709
 $n=16 \Rightarrow$ crit value = $-0.4259 \Rightarrow$ smallest n is 16

b) $H_0: p=0$
 $H_1: p \neq 0$
 $n=?$ $S\%$ $\Rightarrow p=0.025$

$n=20 \Rightarrow$ crit values = ± 0.4438
 $n=21 \Rightarrow$ crit values = $\pm 0.4329 \Rightarrow$ smallest n is 21

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5. a) $r \approx 0.8$ ✓ strong positive linear correlation
b) $r \approx -0.8$ ✓ negative exponential linear correlation (r is misleading)
c) $r \approx -0.1$ ✓ 2 distinct sets of negative linear correlation (if treated as one set of data, hardly any correlation)
d) $r \approx 0.4$ ✓ \oplus Very slight positive linear correlation (2 outlier values have big effect on r)

$$\text{Total} = \boxed{40}$$